

Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 17

A CHEERFUL WIFE.—Better than gold to a man is a cheerful wife. But he must do his part toward making her cheerful. It is easy enough for a man to marry a happy woman. But the bride expects when she thought how happy she would be, never contemplated the picture of a husband coming home cross as a bear, and going to bed without speaking to her; she has never thought of the long evening when he would not come at all, or his bringing some one home to dinner without warning or preparation; or his awful profanity over so trifling a matter as his little bill of expenses. She had no idea, in fact, there could be anything but happiness in married life, and she had determined to be happy, and distribute her happiness to those about her. It is not often her fault if she does not succeed. Alas, it is a rule, do not expect to secure their wife's happiness. They know that it requires a constant and a great effort to possess a happy wife, and he who is not willing to exert constant commercial energy. The cheerful wife, the happy, helpful character which every woman displays at the beginning of marriage, is not so easily lost as a fortune; it requires but a small share. A word to the girls in this connection is in order: Beware of the man who does not know enough about cheerfulness to understand its value in daily life. Such a man would improve the first opportunity to grind the cheerfulness out of his home, to frighten a husband into a shadow, and then wonder what is the matter. Such is no better than a husband at all; and when you want a husband go to get somebody else—somebody who will give you at least some chance to be happy far into the life beyond the honeymoon.

It is well for men to talk about the impossibility of a woman's passing a stern without a glance at the window, but who ever saw a man overlook a well dressed lady on the street and refrain from stealing a glance at her face as he marched past? These little weaknesses the balance is not all on one side by any means.

Opening and Closing of the Mails.

CLOSING.
Washington, D. C., North and Northeastern mails 12 m. and 8 15 p. m.
Western mails 4 30 and 9 15 p. m.
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 6 00 a. m. and 9 30 and 10 00 p. m.
South and Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, 6 00 a. m. and 9 p. m.
Alexandria to Lynchburg, Va., (way mails) including through mails, 6 00 a. m. and 9 00 p. m.
Gordonsville and Charlottesville, Va., 6 00 a. m. and 9 00 p. m.
Manassas Division 6 00 a. m.
Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 7 45 a. m.
OPENING.
Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8 30 a. m. and 2 00 and 6 00 p. m.
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8 30 a. m. and 1 00 p. m.
Southwestern mails via Lynchburg, Virginia, (through mails) including way mails on Midland Railroad, 8 30 a. m.
Manassas Division 8 30 a. m.
Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 8 30 p. m.
Office Hours—Office opens at 8 30 a. m. and closes at 7 00 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Office opens at 8 45 a. m., and closes at 9 30 a. m.

LOTTERIES.

Authorized by the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

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POPULAR MONTHLY DRAWING OF

Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At MacKenzie's Theatre in the city of Louisville, on SEPTEMBER 30, 1879.

Drawings, never postponed, occur regularly on the last day of every month, (Sundays excepted) and will be supervised by men of undoubted character and standing, and ticket holders, agents and clubs are respectfully requested to send in representatives, with proper credentials, to examine into the Drawing.

A NEW ERA IN THE HISTORY OF LOTTERIES.

Grand and Unprecedented Success of the New Features.

Every ticket holder can be his own supervisor.

Call out his number and see it placed in the wheel.

The Management call attention to the grand opportunity presented of obtaining for only \$2, any of

THE FOLLOWING PRIZES:

1 prize, \$30,000 100 prizes \$10 each \$1,000
1 prize, 10,000 200 prizes 50 each 10,000
1 prize, 5,000 400 prizes 25 each 12,000
10 prizes \$1,000 each \$10,000
20 prizes 500 each 10,000
50 prizes 200 each 10,000
100 prizes 100 each 10,000
1,000 prizes \$12,000

Whole tickets \$2; half tickets \$1; 21 tickets \$50; 55 tickets \$100. All applications for club prizes should be made to the home office.

Full list of drawing published in Louisville Courier-Journal and New York Herald, and mailed to all ticket holders. For tickets and information address T. J. Comerford, Secretary, Courier-Journal Building, Louisville, Ky.

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FANCY GOODS.

FALL AND WINTER OPENING.

Ladies' Gents', Misses', Boys' and Infants' Merino Underwear, a large stock to select from; prices from 25c to \$5 each.

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs and Neckwear.

Hosiery of every size, in English, French, German and Domestic; over 50 new and beautiful patterns for the present season.

Corsets at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 pr.

Germanant Wool, Zephyr Worsted, Echeled Flies and German Woolen Yarns. As usual our stock is complete.

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

Buttons, Spool Silk, Combs, Hair Brushes, Knitting Cotton, Pins, Needles, Tapes, Towels, Napkins, Belts, Straps, Shawls and a new line of Jewelry, Bells, Perfumery, &c.

C. M. ADAMS, 52 King st.

NEW GOODS.

SUN UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS.

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY.

BLACK SILK RINGS.

SILK and FANCY BUTTONS.

NECK RUFFLES.

TOKOHON and other LACES, all of which will be sold at prices to suit the times at

C. C. BERRY'S.

LIBBIE'S EXTRACT OF MEAT.

Valentine's Meat Juice, Valentine's Meat Juice and Glycerine, Hubbard's Prepared Wheat, one of the best preparations for infants' food, Granular Arrow Root, Corn Starch, Tapioca, Sago, Extracts Vanilla, Strawberry, Orange, &c., Liquid Rennet, &c., just received fresh supplies

J. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

PLATED WARE.

We have this day received a nice line of the above ware, consisting of Castles, Pocket Knives and Rogers' Bros'. Cutlery, for sale cheap at

McLEAN & UHLER'S.

76 King street.

IN STORE AND FOR SALE—25 boxes of

the celebrated 4 ounce SATISFACTION TWIST TOBACCO, made expressly to order by Daniel Lyon of Danville, Va., to which we invite the attention of the trade.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

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MOCKING BIRD CAGES.

We have just received a lot of the above Call and examine.

McLEAN & UHLER.

76 King street.

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GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.

FLOUR!

Use Cone & Weston's Best.

STRONG, WHITE.

SWEET, NUTRITIOUS.

Unlike many Flour of the day, these brands are not made white at the expense of sweetness and nutritive, but by a system recently adopted are made to contain all the virtues of the grain, excluding only the bran and foreign matter.

We propose to keep a supply of this brand of Flour on hand all the time, for we consider it the best now on the market. The trade can all ways rely upon getting the best Flour made. We guarantee satisfaction in all cases. Ask for CONE & WESTON'S BEST. For sale by

J. H. WASHINGTON & BRO.

50 BBLs OCCOQUAN N. P. FAMILY FLOUR.

50 HALF BARRELS OCCOQUAN N. P. FAMILY FLOUR.

This Flour has deservedly a great reputation, and we pronounce it, without any fear of contradiction, equal to or better than any in this market. Try it, and you will be convinced. For sale by

J. H. WASHINGTON & BRO.

FLOUR! FLOUR!

20 bbls Occoquan choice Family Flour. We guarantee this Flour to give satisfaction. For sale by

J. H. WASHINGTON & BRO.

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100 BUSSELS CHOICE NEW TIMOTHY FEED FOR SALE BY

J. H. WASHINGTON & BRO.

BACON—Sugar cured Hams, small sizes, and Western Sides and Shoulders received and for sale by

HARMON & SMITH.

25 BOXES BABBITT'S BEST SOAP, 50 boxes Higgins' Standard, and Smith & Fowler's Baltimore Soaps, for sale by

HARMON & SMITH.

100 BOXES various brands of Family SOAP—Eabbin's, Higgins', Standard, Oriental, and others, for sale by

HARMON & SMITH.

250 TONS BONE MEAL, Bone Dust and Equitable Fertilizers for sale by

HARMON & SMITH, Agents.

25 BBLs REFINED SUGARS for sale by

HARMON & SMITH.

25 BBLs COAL OIL received this day by

HARMON & SMITH.

NOTICE—WE WILL AT ALL TIMES SELL GROCERIES and CHEAP and MANY OF THEM CHEAPER, THAN ANY PRICE LIST ADVERTISED. A comparison of prices solicited. F. J. DAVIDSON.

VINEGAR THAT WILL KEEP YOUR PICKLES. Cider Vinegar made of the pure juice of the apple, and of unusual strength. For sale by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

OUR LOW PRICED TEAS cannot be extolled for purity and excellence of flavor. Try them.

F. J. DAVIDSON.

PICKLING and PRESERVING SPICES of all kinds. The purest and best. For sale by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

CHEAP STONE JARS—We are closing out a lot of stone jars at very low prices.

F. J. DAVIDSON.

SUGARS—A full stock of all grades, for sale at low prices by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

ROASTED and GROUND COFFEES at low prices

F. J. DAVIDSON.

FRESH BARLEY and OATMEAL received and for sale by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

CHEAP TEAS—Test of the quality for sale at low prices by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

PRESERVING SUGARS for sale by

F. J. DAVIDSON.

2 TIERCE SMALL SIZED SPRINGFIELD FIELD HAMS received this day. These Hams are very fine in quality, each and every one being guaranteed.

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

15 BOXES CHOICE BRANDS DANVILLE TOBACCO received and for sale by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

1 TIERCE SLIP BAG HAMS, Sugar cured Shoulders and Breakfast Bacon received today and for sale by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

50 BOXES BABBITT'S HIGGINS' and other brands of SOAP in store and for sale by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

2 TIERCES OF SMALL SPRINGFIELD HAMS received this day.

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

SMALL BREAKFAST BACON and Sugar Cured Shoulders received today.

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

5 GROSS RUMFORD'S YEAST POWDER received this day, and for sale by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

CHOICE NEW YORK BUTTER received today. (asked) R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

A LARGE and complete assortment of FLOWERS, FISHES and STOVE PIPES RECEIVED for sale by

J. C. MILBURN'S.

NEW ORLEANS RAW SUGAR, nearly white, excellent for preserving and other purposes, for sale at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

PURE SPICES and PURE OLD APPLE VINEGAR for sale at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

STRICTLY PURE CIDER VINEGAR and pure fresh SPICES for sale at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

MUCHA COFFEE, roasted or in natural state, for sale at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

25 BBLs J. B. FICKLEN & SONS' BELMONT XXX EXTRA FLOUR in store and for sale by

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.

WHEAT BRAN, White and Brown Olds and delivered to all parts of the city by

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.

FLOUR—EAGLE BRAND FLOUR and WHEAT FAMILY, made of old wheat, for sale by

THOS. PERRY, Agent.

BRIDGEWATER FLOUR—better than ever before—for sale by

CHARLES S. TAYLOR, Jr.

5 TUBS PENNSYLVANIA CHOICE BUTTER for sale by

THOMAS PERRY, Agt.

W. S. MOORE

MACHINEIST and BLACKSMITH

No. 65 Union street.

Alexandria, Va.

Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON FENCIBLES, &c.

Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices as low as charged previously to the war.

JOS. HIGGINS,

Pimber and Steam Fitter,

No. 19 SOUTH PITT STREET.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

All orders promptly attended to.

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FURNITURE, &c.

GREEN & BRO'S

STEAM

FURNITURE WORKS & SAW MILL

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE FURNITURE, and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING PLANING and CARVING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.

JAS. F. MUIR. JOHN A. MUIR

JAS. F. MUIR & BROTHER,

(Successors to Wm. H. Muir & Son.)

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

FURNITURE,

141 and 143 KING STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand.

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JAMES H. DEVAUGHN

MANUFACTURER AND

DEALER IN FURNITURE,

No. 130 King street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LOOKING GLASSES,

RAIL, COTTON TOP

AND HUSB MATRESSES,

kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.

In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to

JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,

No. 130 King street.

WOOD AND COAL.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

John P. Agnew & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers and Shippers of

GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND, AND

ANTHRAHITE COALS,

WHARF and YARD FOOT OF WOLF ST.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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COAL! COAL! COAL!

We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties:

LYKEN'S VALLEY,

LORREBERRY and

SHAMOKIN RED ASH,

steamer, broken, egg, stove and nut sizes.

Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPIRIT, from West Va.

Making Coal a specialty, we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES, and having two large Storage Yards, each variety is kept separate, and is especially prepared for family use.

Yards floored, and all Coal sold in WELLS SCREENED and FREE FROM IMPURITIES.

Dealers, families, public institutions and manufacturers supplied at lowest market rate—per ton of 2240 lbs. by

J. P. AGNEW & CO.,

Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

On my wharf and to arrive during the season

full stock of

ANTHRAHITE,

CUMBERLAND and

WEST VIRGINIA COALS,

and well screened, will be pleased to supply my friends and customers at lowest market prices. Delivered at houses, cars or boats, per ton of 2240 lbs.

W. A. SKEOT.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

JAMES P. CARLIN & SONS,

No. 63 KING STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY

Builders' Hardware, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Door Bolts, &c., &c., Staircase Hardware, Prills, Bells, Buckles, Rings, Handles, &c., &c., Wheelwrights' Hardware, Axes, Rims, Hubs, Spokes, Sawed Palms, Tire Iron, &c., Cutlery, Pocket Knives, Table Knives, Carving Knives, Butcher Knives, &c., &c., Hammers, Goggles, Caps, &c., Nails, Spikes, Horse Shoes, Galvanized Nails and Spikes, Steel Bar Fence Wire, Farm Belts, &c. A full and complete stock of first class goods always in store and sold at lowest cash prices. Orders from country merchants promptly attended to and have our personal attention.

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B. F. PEAKE.

DEALER IN

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware,

Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Lime, Calcinced Plaster, Slate Mantels, Hearths, &c., &c.

CORN KING and PITT STREETS

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PEAKE & NALLS,

DEALERS IN

DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE

PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT,

LIME, CALCINED PLASTER,

SLATE MANTELS,

HEARTHES, &c.

CORN KING and ST. ASAPH STS.

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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSE SHOES

Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle

Greases, Wagon Materials, House-

hold Hardware, &c., &c., &c.

No. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

BARGAINS IN HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c., at 88 King street, corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va.—The subscribers have on hand a very large stock of goods in their line, comprising a general assortment, which to reduce stock will be sold at uncommonly low prices. Strict attention is called to a lot of Horse Nails, which we will sell at 10 cts. per lb. and upwards; Good Door Locks with Knobs at 10 cts. each; and Hinges, Saws, &c., in proportion; Shoe, Darning, Scrubbing, Whitewash and Horse Brushes at cost; Curry Combs 50 cts. per dozen; a good article; in fact, any article we have on hand will be sold low during the fall season. No need to send your money away from home. Call and see; it will cost nothing to enquire at 88 King street, on the corner of Royal, before making your purchases.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON.